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1. ON FEBRUARY 16, NATIONAL CONFERENCE FOR UNIFICATION (NCU) APPROVED APPOINTMENT OF 73 YUSHIN MEMBERS AND FIVE ALTERNATES FOR NEW THREE YEAR NATIONAL ASSEMBLY TERM. TWENTY-THREE OF GROUP WERE NEW FACES AND FIFTY WERE RETAINED FROM PRIOR (FIRST) TERM. (REF B). ROKG ANNOUNCED THAT 2,274 NCU MEMBERS (99.3 PERCENT OF TOTAL NCU MEMBERSHIP) APPROVED SLATE, EIGHT VOTED AGAINST AND SEVEN BALLOTS WERE FOUND TO BE INVALID. UNDER YUSHIN CONSTITUTION, MEMBERSHIP EITHER APPROVES OR DISAPPROVES SLATE IN ITS ENTIRETY.

2. NEW YUCHONGHOE APPOINTEES TO NATIONAL ASSEMBLY ARE AS FOLLOWS:

A. KIM TO-CHANG - LAWYER; FORMERLY SNU LAW PROFESSOR AND FORMER VICE MINISTER OF EDUCATION.

B. KIM TONG-SONG - AMBASSADOR TO ARGENTINA AND FORMER MINISTER OF CULTURE AND INFORMATION.

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C. KIM SONG-YONG - AMBASSADOR TO MALAYSIA AND FORMER ASSEMBLYMAN.

D. KIM SE-PAE - SECRETARY GENERAL OF KOREAN ANTI-COMMUNIST LEAGUE AND FORMER ASSEMBLYMAN.

E. KIM SIN - SON OF LATE NATIONALIST LEADER KIM KU; FORMER AIR FORCE CHIEF OF STAFF AND FORMER MINISTER OF TRANSPORTATION.

F. KIM IK-CHUN - PRESENTLY WORKING AT ASIA RADIO; FORMER DRP ASSEMBLYMAN.

G. KIM CHIN-POK - KOREAN BROADCASTING SYSTEM COMMENTATOR AND FORMER EDITORIAL WRITER FOR SEOUL SINMUN.

H. PAK TONG-MYO - CHAIRMAN OF KOREAN TEACHERS ASSOCIATION AND FORMER AGRICULTURE/FISHERIES MINISTER

I. PAK CHAN-JYON- AMBASSADOR TO INDIA AND FORMER TRANSPORTATION MINISTER.

J. PAEK YONG-HUN - CHUNGANG UNIVERSITY PROFESSOR AND DIRECTOR OF KOREAN INDUSTRIAL RESEARCH INSTITUTE.

K. SIN KWANG-SUN - DRP DEPUTY SECRETARY GENERAL AND FORMER ASSEMBLYMAN.

L. SIM PAM-SIK - FORMER BLUE HOUSE SPOKESMAN, FORMER PRESIDENT OF SEOUL SINMUN AND FORMER MINISTER OF CULTURE AND INFORMATION.

M. SIN SANG-CHO - PROFESSOR AT KYONGHUI UNIVERSITY, DIRECTOR OF CHINA AFFAIRS RESEARCH INSTITUTE AND FORMER ASSEMBLYMAN.

N. YUN YO-HUN - PUBLIC RELATIONS DEPARTMENT CHIEF OF KOREAN RED CROSS AND ONLY WOMAN AMONG TWENTY-THREE NEW MEMBERS.

O. YUN CHU-YONG - FORMER BLUE HOUSE SPOKESMAN AND FORMER MINISTER OF CULTURE AND INFORMATION.

P. YI SONG-KUN - PROFESSOR AT MYONGCHI COLLEGE.

Q. YI SUNG-YUN - PROFESSOR AT SOGANG UNIVERSITY

R. YI CHONG-SIK - PROFESSOR OF POLITICAL SCIENCE AT TONGKUK UNIVERSITY.

S. YI CHONG-CHAN - FORMER AMBASSADOR TO ITALY AND FORMER DEFENSE MINISTER.

T. CHON PU-IL - SECRETARY GENERAL OF KOREAN VETERANS ASSOCIATION AND FORMER DIRECTOR OF OFFICE OF CONSCRIPTION.

U. CHONG IL-YONG - FORMER (CAREER) AMBASSADOR TO FRANCE AND SWITZERLAND, FORMER VICE MINISTER OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS AND YOUNGER BROTHER OF NDP ASSEMBLYMAN, CHONG HAE-YONG.

V. CHOE U-KUN - FORMER COMMANDANT OF ROK ARMY MILITARY ACADEMY.

W. KWON CHUNG-TONG - CHAIRMAN OF COMMUNICATIONS TRADE UNION.

3. ALTERNATE YUCHUNGHOE MEMBERS ARE AS FOLLOWS:
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A. PYON U-RYANG - DRP TRAINING INSTITUTE INSTRUCTOR.

B. MA TAL-CHON - DRP KYONGBUK LIAISON OFFICE CHIEF.

C. KIM PYONG-SIK - CHAIRMAN OF KUNSAN FISHERIES ASSOCIATION.

D. POK TAE-PONG - SAEMAUL LEADER FROM SOUTH CHOLLA PROVINCE.

E. CHO PYONG-PONG - SAEMAUL LEADER FROM KYONGGI PROVINCE.

4. FORMER NATIONAL ASSEMBLY SPEAKER KIM CHIN-MAN WAS MOST

NOTABLE AMONG THOSE 23 YUCHONGHOE MEMBERS NOT REAPPOINTED.
TWENTY-TWO OTHERS WHO LOST SEATS ARE AS FOLLOWS:

KU IM-HOE -(MEDICAL DOCTOR); KIM TONG-UK, (EDUCATOR);
KIM PONG-KWAN, (ASSEMBLY COMMITTEE CHAIRMAN); KIM SONG-TU,
(FORMER SECRETARY TO DRP CHAIRMAN); KIM SONG-NAK, (JOURNALIST);
KIM OK-CHA, (FORMER ASST. CHIEF DRP WOMEN'S AFFAIRS COMMITTEE);
KIM CHAE-SUN, (FORMER DRP SPOKESMAN); KIM TAE-KYU, (PROFESSOR);
SO PYONG-KYUN, (FORMER PROSECUTOR); OM KYONG-SOP, (EDUCATOR);
O CHU-HWAN (PROFESSOR); YU MIN-SANG (EX-DIRECTOR OF LEGISLATIVE
OFFICE); YI HAE-RANG, (ACTOR); CHANG CHUN-HAN, (EDUCATOR);
YIM SAM, (JOURNALIST); CHANG CHANG-KUK (EX-GENERAL); CHONG
KWANG-HO, (EX-COMMANDANT MARINE CORPS); CHONG POE-KYANG (FORMER
CHIEF OF PROVINCIAL WOMAN'S YOUTH CORPS); CHOE YONG-SU, (LABOR
LEADER); HAM CHAE-HUN, (PRESIDENT CHUNCHON MUNHWA BROADCASTING
CO.); HAM CHONG-PIN, (POLITICIAN); AND HWANG CHANG-CHU,
(FORMER PROSECUTOR).
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